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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: McCallister et al. : Confirmation No.:8537

: GROUP ART UNIT: 1617

APPLICATION NO: 10/092,083 :

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FOR: Effervescent Compositions Comprising
Bisphosphonates and Methods Related
Thereto

AMENDMENT AND SUBMISSION IN SUPPORT OF REQUEST FOR
CONTINUING EXAMINATION

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SIR:

In support of a Request for Reconsideration submitted herewith and in response to the Office Action dated February 8, 2006, and the Notice of Appeal filed 6/8/2006, the applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks. An RCE and petitions for time extensions are being filed with this paper.